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SUBJECT: JOINT DRAFT TEXT ARTICLES X, IV.7, AND XX

REFERENCES: A. STATE 197860

B. SALT TWO-745

C. SALT TWO-755

D. SALT TWO-760

E. SALT TWO-761

1. REFERENCE A, PARA. 1, STATES THAT "US IS WILLING TO BAN THE DEVELOPMENT, TESTING, AND DEPLOYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING SYSTEMS." IN THIS CONTEXT "SYSTEMS" IS INTENDED TO COVER BOTH THE LAUNCHERS AND THEIR ASSOCIATED MISSILES. DELEGATION SHOULD MAKE THIS CLEAR IN EXPLAINING US PROPOSAL, (ARTICLE X) AND DRAFT AGREEMENT LANGUAGE SHOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH THIS CONCEPT. IN THE CASE OF BALLISTIC MISSILES ON WATERBORNE VEHICLES OTHER THAN SUBMARINES, DELEGATION SHOULD EXPLAIN TO SOVIETS THAT US PROPOSAL IS NOT INTENDED TO AFFECT CURRENT PRACTICES OF EITHER SIDE FOR TRANSPORTING BALLISTIC MISSILES. (FYI: WE WANT TO BE SURE THAT CURRENT US PRACTICE OF TRANSPORTING SLBMS ON SURFACE VESSELS IS NOT PRECLUDED.)

2. DELEGATION IS AUTHORIZED TO ACCEPT SOVIET LANGUAGE ON FOBS MODIFIED AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE: (E) SYSTEMS FOR PLACING NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR ANY OTHER KIND OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION INTO ORBIT AROUND THE EARTH, OR FOR FRACTIONAL ORBITAL MISSILES. UNQUOTE SUBJECT TO FORMAL EXCHANGE DESCRIBED IN REFTTEL D. (FYI: INSERTION OF WORD "FOR" IS TO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT IT IS SYSTEMS FOR FOBS AND NOT ONLY MISSILES WHICH ARE TO BE BANNED. END FYI)

3. IN REGARD TO LANGUAGE ON RAPID RELOAD (ARTICLE IV, PARA. 7.C.) YOU SHOULD BRACKET "FIXED-LAND-BASED" IN JDT, PENDING WASHINGTON DECISION ON HOW LAND AND AIR MOBILE ICBMS ARE TO BE HANDLED IN FINAL AGREEMENT. DELEGATION MAY DEFEND US LANGUAGE IN JDT WHILE CONTINUING TO AVOID

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DISCUSSIONS WHICH MAY TEND TO PREJUDGE THIS DECISION.
4. CONCUR IN DELEGATION'S PROPOSED ENTRY-INTO-FORCE
LANGUAGE (ARTICLE XX, PARA. 1) CONTAINED IN SALT TWO-761.
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